

REMARKS

This application has been carefully reviewed in light of the Office Action dated October 10, 2007. Claims 1 to 4, 6 to 9, 11 to 14 and 21 to 24 are in the application, of which Claims 1, 6, 11 and 21 are independent. Reconsideration and further examination are respectfully requested.

Initially, Applicant thanks the Examiner for the indication that Claims 1 to 4, 6 to 9, 11 to 14 and 21 to 24 are allowed.

Claims 26 to 30 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 101 because the claimed invention is allegedly directed to non-statutory subject matter. Claims 26 to 30 having been canceled herein without prejudice or disclaimer of subject matter, this rejection is believed rendered moot and withdrawal is respectfully requested.

No other matters having been addressed, the entire application is believed to be in condition for allowance and such action is respectfully requested at the Examiner's earliest convenience.

CONCLUSION

No claim fees are believed due; however, should it be determined that additional claim fees are required, the Director is hereby authorized to charge such fees to Deposit Account 50-3939.

Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our Costa Mesa, CA office at (714) 540-8700. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below-listed address.

Respectfully submitted,

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